

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT
U.S. Application No. 10/566,183

Attorney Docket No. Q76837

REMARKS

The claims have been amended to correct improper multiple dependencies. Entry and consideration of this Amendment are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Bruce E. Kramer

Bruce E. Kramer
Registration No. 33,725

SUGHRUE MION, PLLC
Telephone: (202) 293-7060
Facsimile: (202) 293-7860

WASHINGTON OFFICE

23373

CUSTOMER NUMBER

Date: December 18, 2006